# Energy Efficiency Lessons and Plans from California

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#### Two Energy Agencies in California

- The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) was formed in 1890 to regulate natural monopolies, like railroads, and later electric and gas utilities.
- The California Energy Commission (CEC) was formed in 1974 to regulate the environmental side of energy production and use.
- Now the two agencies work very closely, particularly to delay climate change.
- The Investor-Owned Utilities, under the guidance of the CPUC, spend "Public Goods Charge" money (rate-payer money) to do everything they can that is cost effective to beat existing standards.
- The Publicly-Owned utilities (20% of the power), under loose supervision by the CEC, do the same.

#### California Energy Commission Responsibilities

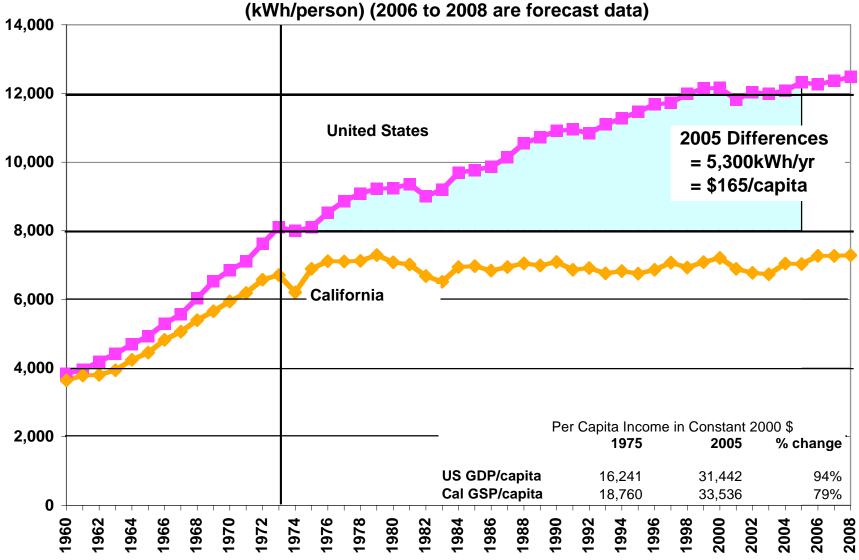
#### Both Regulation and R&D

- California Building and Appliance Standards
  - Started 1977
  - Updated every few years
- Siting Thermal Power Plants Larger than 50 MW
- Forecasting Supply and Demand (electricity and fuels)
- Research and Development
  - ~ \$80 million per year
- CPUC & CEC are collaborating to introduce communicating electric meters and thermostats that are programmable to respond to timedependent electric tariffs.

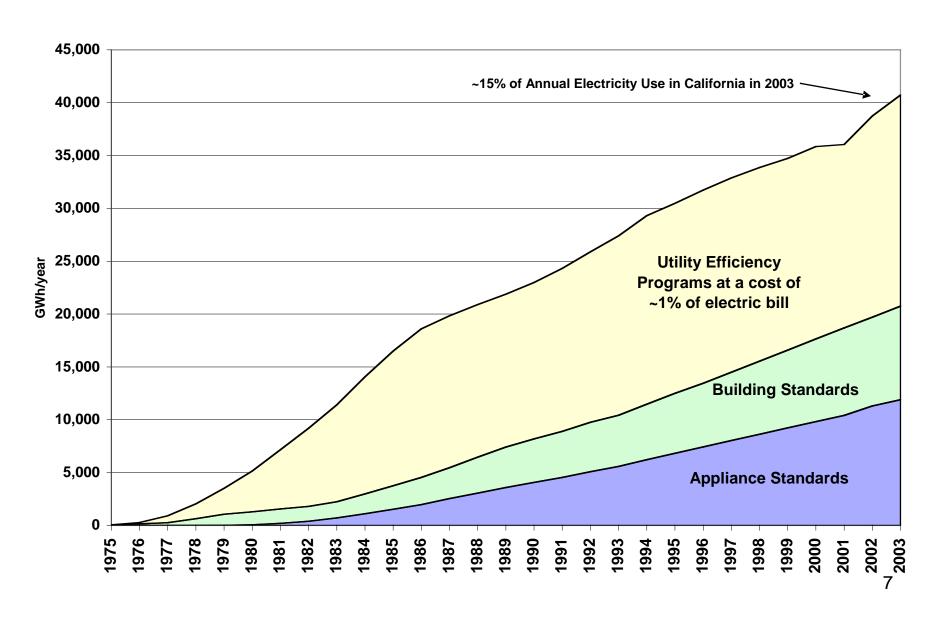
#### California's Energy Action Plan

- California's Energy Agencies first adopted an Energy Action Plan in 2003. Central to this is the State's preferred "Loading Order" for resource expansion.
- 1. Energy efficiency and Demand Response
- 2. Renewable Generation,
- 3. Increased development of affordable & reliable conventional generation
- 4. Transmission expansion to support all of California's energy goals.
- The Energy Action Plan has been updated since 2003 and provides overall policy direction to the various state agencies involved with the energy sectors

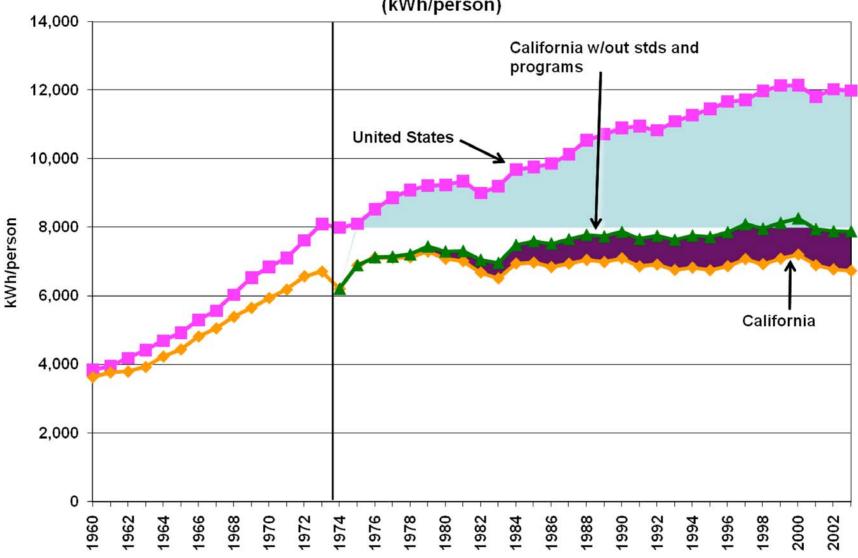
### Per Capita Electricity Sales (not including self-generation) (kWh/person) (2006 to 2008 are forecast data)



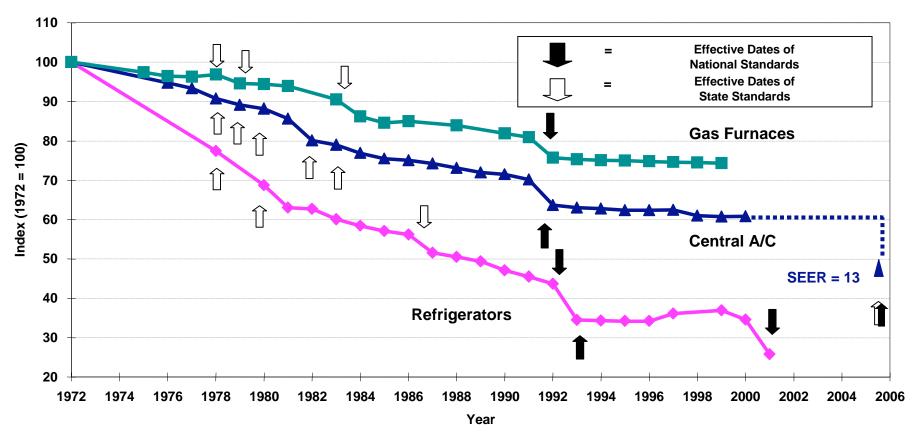
#### **Annual Energy Savings from Efficiency Programs and Standards**



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# Impact of Standards on Efficiency of 3 Appliances

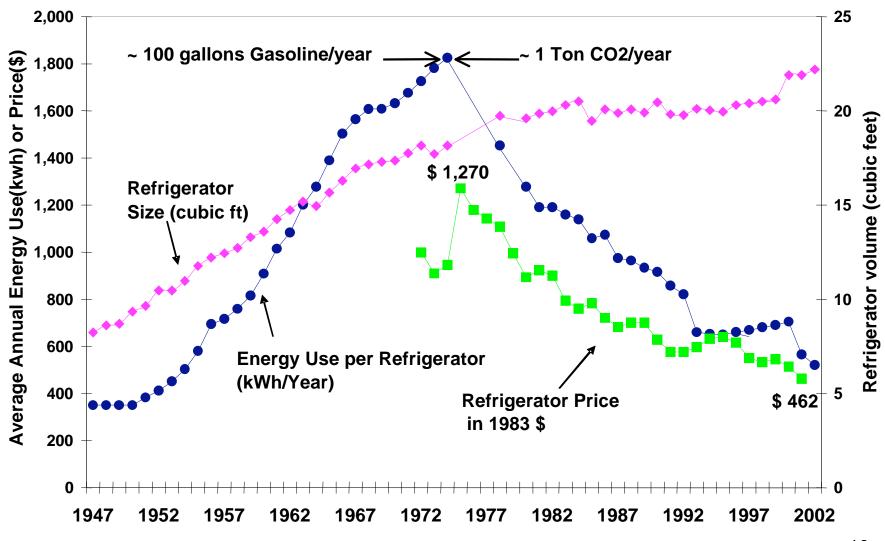


Source: S. Nadel, ACEEE,

in ECEEE 2003 Summer Study, www.eceee.org

#### New United States Refrigerator Use v. Time

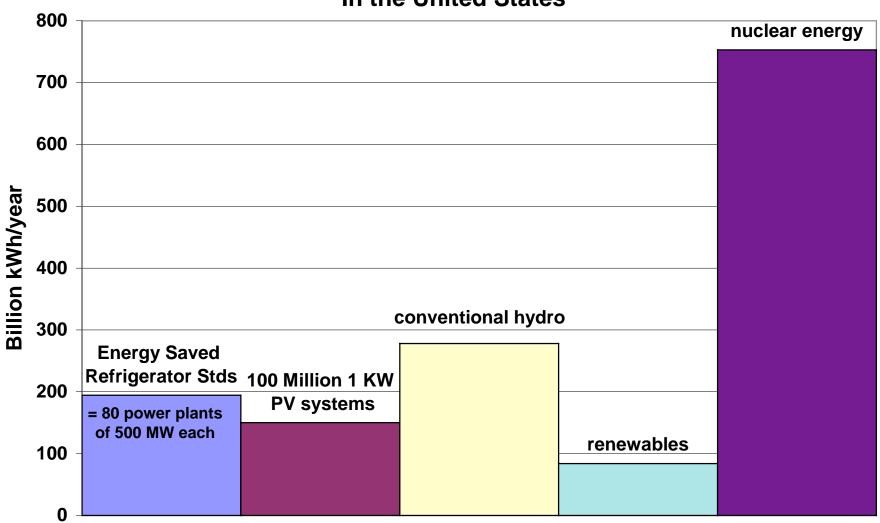
#### and Retail Prices



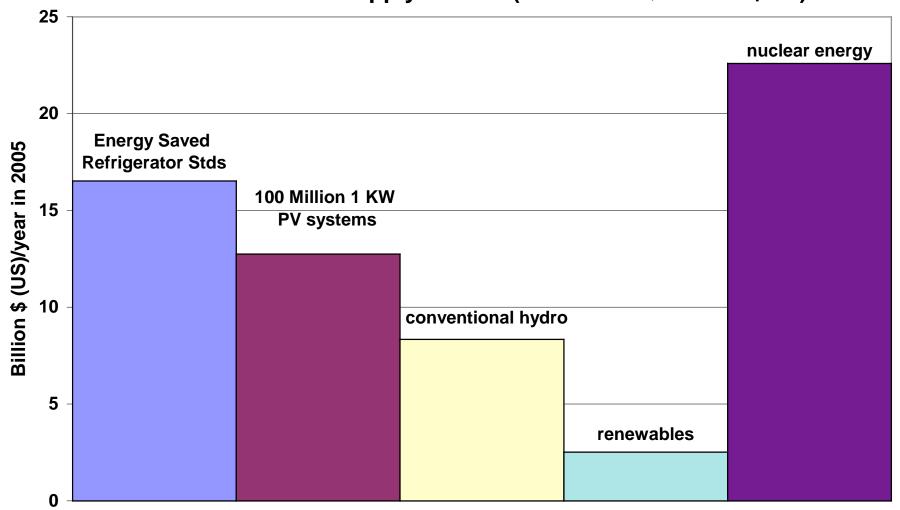
**Source: David Goldstein** 

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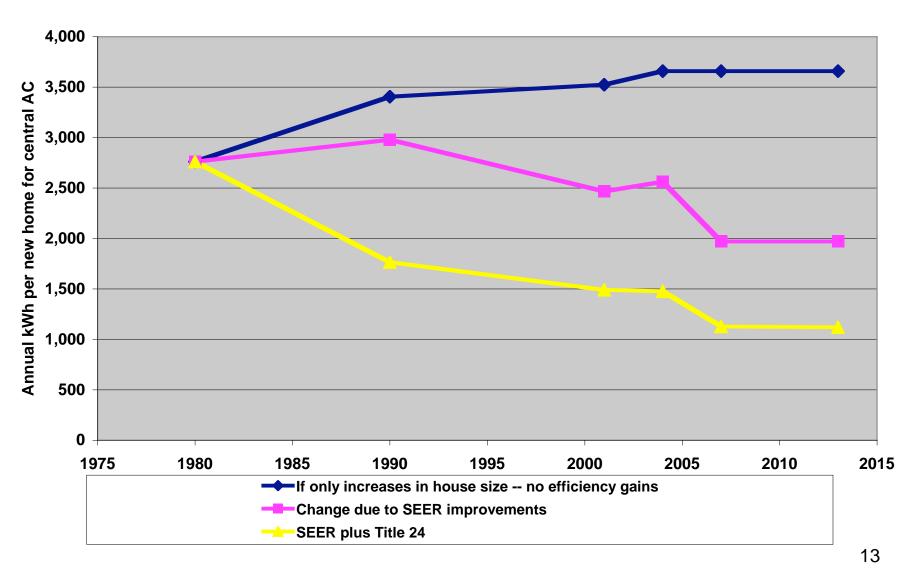
## Annual Energy Saved vs. Several Sources of Supply In the United States



In the United States
Value of Energy to be Saved (at 8.5 cents/kWh, retail price) vs.
Several Sources of Supply in 2005 (at 3 cents/kWh, wholesale price)

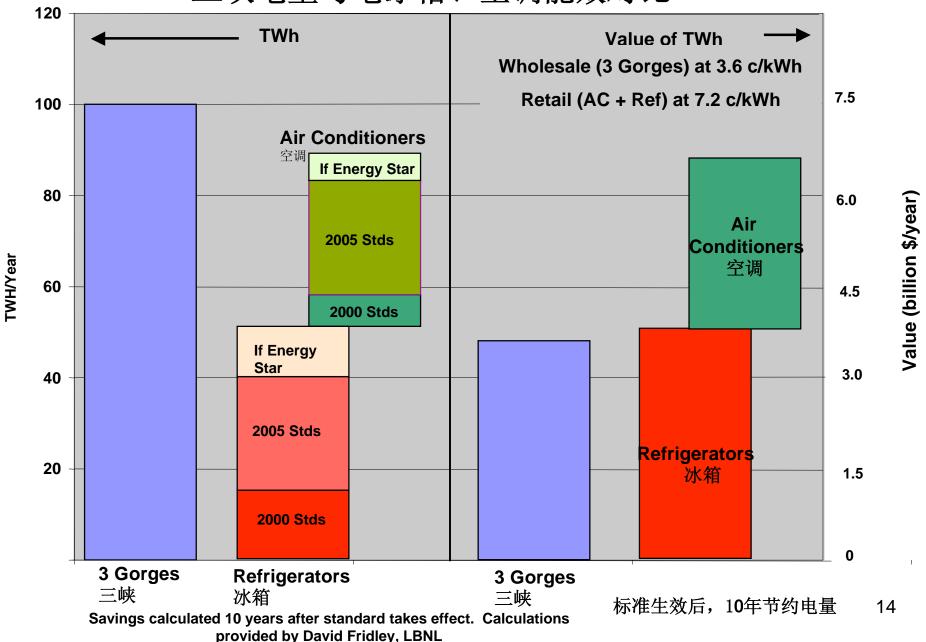


#### Air Conditioning Energy Use in Single Family Homes in PG&E The effect of AC Standards (SEER) and Title 24 standards

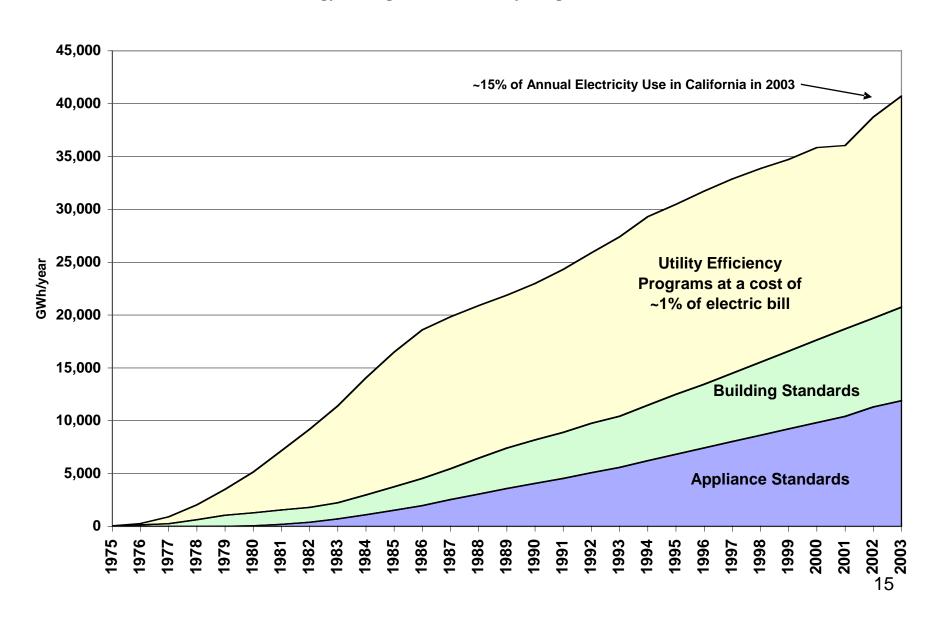


#### **Comparison of 3 Gorges to Refrigerator and AC Efficiency Improvements**

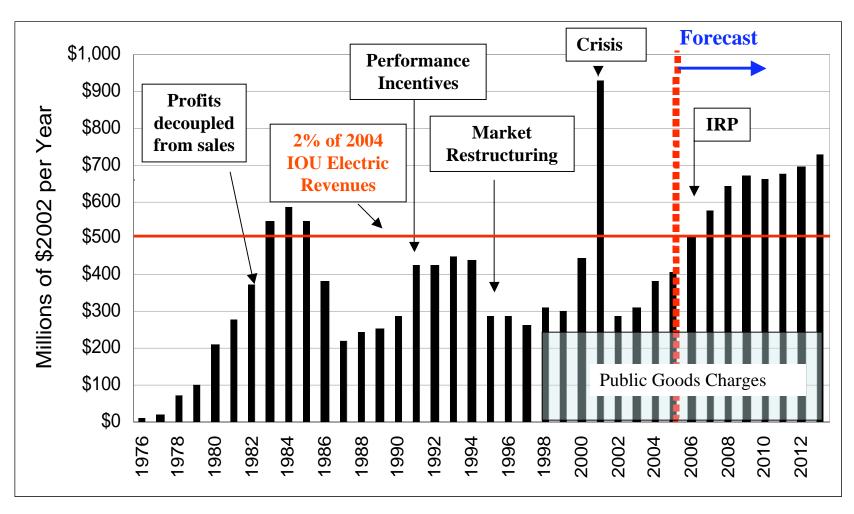
三峡电量与电冰箱、空调能效对比



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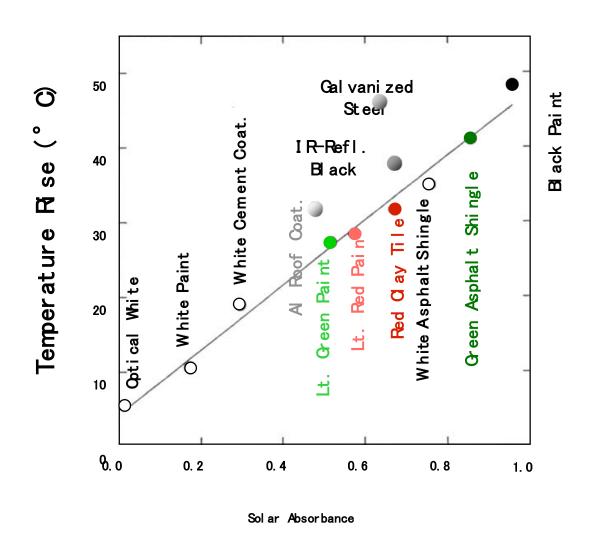


# California IOU's Investment in Energy Efficiency

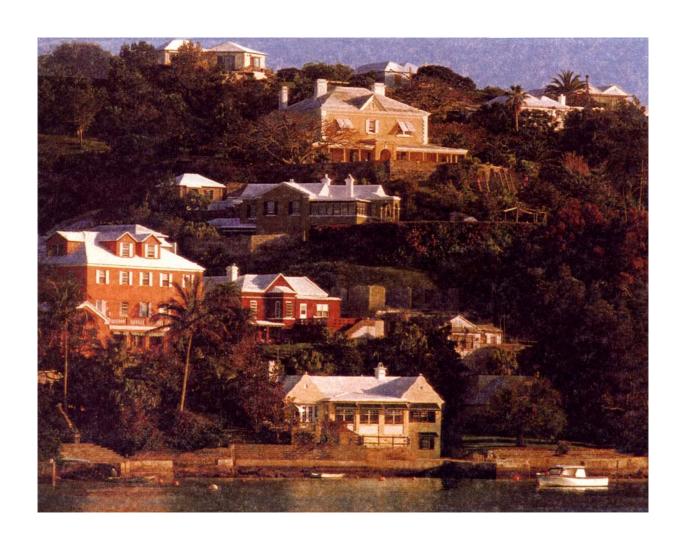


### **White Roofs**

# Temperature Rise of Various Materials in Sunlight



### White is 'cool' in Bermuda



## and in Santorini, Greece



## and in Hyderabad, India



### **Cool Roof Technologies**

<u>Old</u> <u>New</u>



flat, white

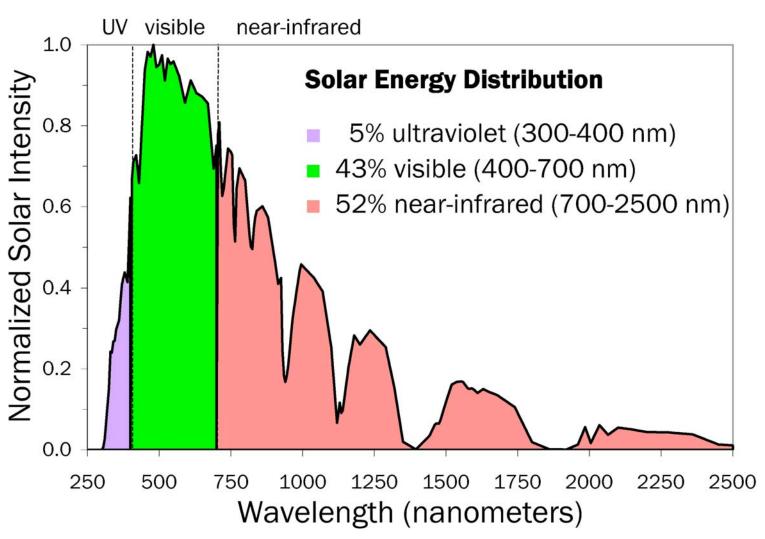


pitched, white



pitched, cool & colored

# Cool Colors Reflect Invisible Near-Infrared Sunlight



#### White Roofs

- In California and a growing number of US states, white roofs are required for new buildings, and re-roofing to reduce air conditioning load and "smog"(O<sub>3</sub>).
- But a new concept is that white roofs also cool the world directly.

# Effect of Solar Reflective Roofs and Pavements in Cooling the Globe

(Source: Akbari, Menon, Rosenfeld. Climatic Change, 2008)

	∆ Solar Reflectivity	CO <sub>2</sub> Offset by 100 m <sup>2</sup>	CO <sub>2</sub> Offset Globally		
White Roof	0.40	10 tons			
Average Roof*	0.25	6.3 tons**	24 Gt		
Cool Pavement	0.15	4 tons	20 Gt		
Total Potential			44 Gt		
Value of 44 Gt CO <sub>2</sub> at \$25/t ~ \$1 Trillion					

<sup>\*</sup> White Roof will be "diluted" by cool colored roofs of lower reflectivity, and roofs that can not be changed, because they are long-lived tile, or perhaps they are already white.

**<sup>\*\*</sup>** Compare 10 tons with a family car, which emits ~4 tons/year.

# CO<sub>2</sub> Equivalency of Cool Roofs World-wide (Tropics+Temperate)

- Cool Roofs alone offset 24 Gt CO2
- Worth > €600 Billion
- To Convert 24 Gt CO2 one time into a rate
- Assume 20 Year Program, thus
- 1.2 Gt CO2/year
- Average World Car Emits 4 tCO2/year,

# equivalent to 300 Million Cars off the Road for 20 years.

## Akbari et al. Main Finding



100 m<sup>2</sup> of a white roof, replacing a dark roof, offset the emission of 10 tons of CO<sub>2</sub>

- To be published in Climatic Change 2008.
- Global Cooling: Increasing World-wide Urban Albedos to Offset CO2

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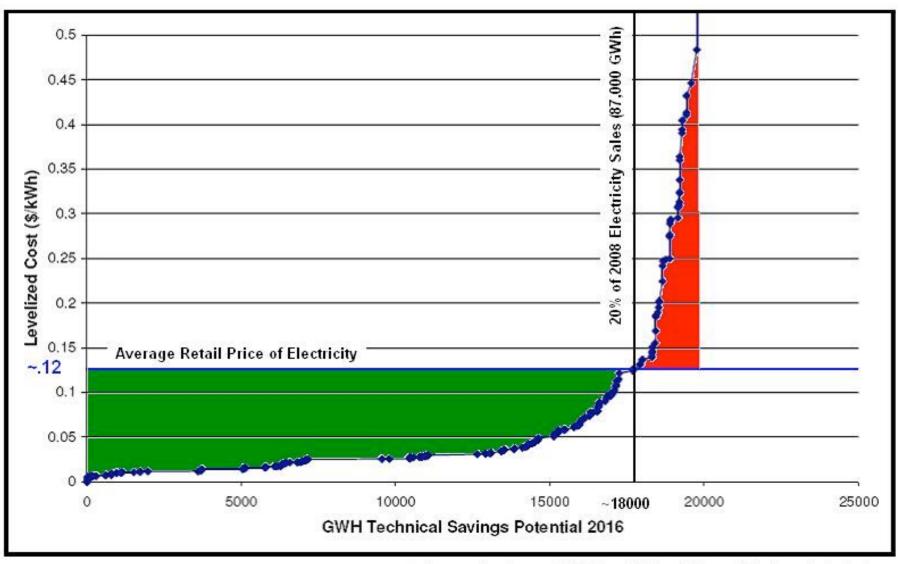
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 A First Step In Geo-Engineering Which Saves Money and Has Known Positive Environmental Impacts

# Conservation Supply Curves and Carbon Abatement Curves

#### **PG&E Electric Supply Curve**



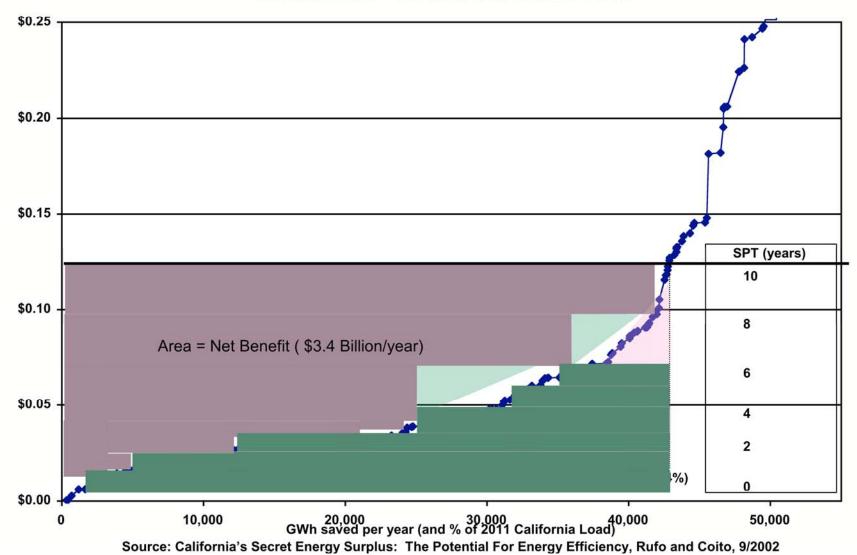
Source: Itron Inc and KEMA Inc, California Energy Efficiency Potential Study, (Prepared for Pacific Gas and Electric company (September 2008)

# PG&E Electric Supply Curve Summary of Previous Slide

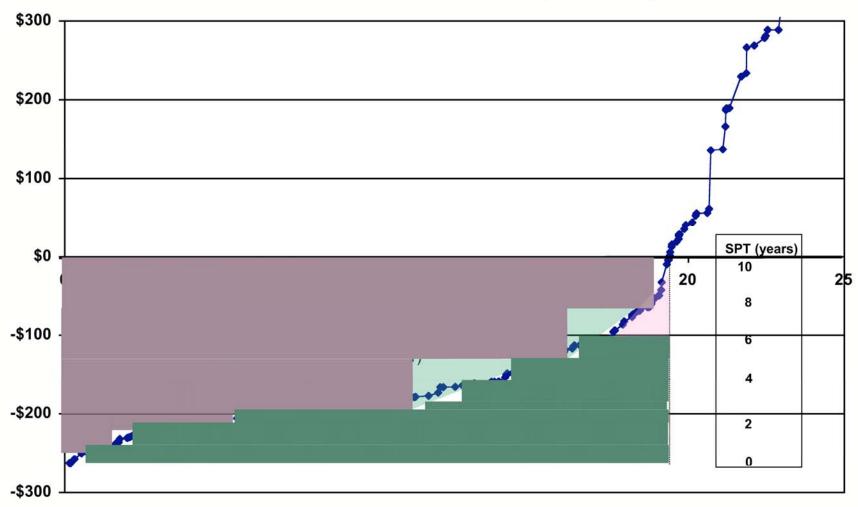
- 200 Projects costing at or below 12 cents /kWh average retail price
- Total Potential Savings of 18,000 GWh for these projects
- This represents about 20% of total electric sales for PG&E in 2008

Tooks also	C4	Levelized Supply	Levelized Supply	Technical
Technology	Sector	Cost	Cost with Programs	GWH 2016
S04_0515	INC INC	0	0.005 0.005	4.549 13.356
S01_0515 WWT PDW	INC	0.002	0.003	0.08
CRm_ExOp	INC	0.002	0.007	0.08
CRm_HECh	INC	0.005	0.01	4.52
S36_HEVC	INC	0.005	0.01	0.729
Fans_ASD_(6-100_hp)	Existing Industrial	0.005	0.012	27.33
Comp_Air_ASD_(6-100_hp)	Existing Industrial	0.005	0.012	31.33
Pumps_ASD_(6-100_hp)	Existing Industrial	0.005	0.012	54.46
CRm_UAS	INC	0.005	0.01	3.01
WWT_Des	INC	0.006	0.011	1.83
CRm_POHP	INC	0.006	0.011	1.31
CRm_PrPl	INC	0.006	0.011	3.75
CRm_EfFS	INC	0.006	0.011	2.02
Fans_OM	Existing Industrial	0.006	0.014	11.94
Compressed_AirSizing	Existing Industrial	0.006	0.014	49.29
Pumps_OM	Existing Industrial	0.006	0.014	95.2
C_CFL_Over24W	Existing Commercial	0.007	0.035	305.09
CRm_PACR	INC	0.007	0.012	7.89
Compressed_Air-OM	Existing Industrial	0.008	0.015	172.52
CRm_VACS	INC	0.008	0.013	1.45
S36_ACrS	INC	0.008	0.013	1.16
CRm_LPDF	INC	0.008	0.013	2.43
WWT_VFD	INC	0.008	0.013	12.4
S04_0510	INC	0.008	0.013	0
CRm_PrPm	INC	0.009	0.014	0.42
CRm_PMEV	INC	0.009	0.014	0.3
CRm_PMEW	INC	0.009	0.014	0.21
C_CFL_Under15W	Existing Commercial	0.009	0.04	151.16
C_T12_Delamping_4Ft	Existing Commercial	0.021	0.027	123.76
C_Ref_EvapFan_ECM	Existing Commercial	0.022	0.027	238.21





#### Electricity Conservation Supply Curve 220 Mesures translated to Carbon Dioxide Reduction curve California in 2011 -- (1 kwh reduction saves 1 pound of CO2)

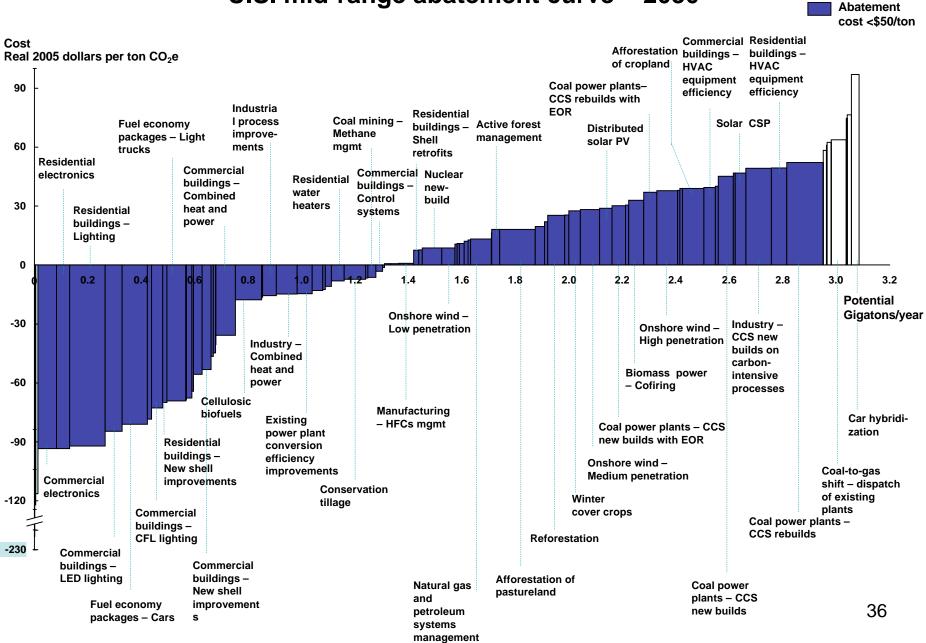


## Reducing U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions: How Much at What Cost?

**US Greenhouse Gas Abatement Mapping Initiative** 

**December 12, 2007** 

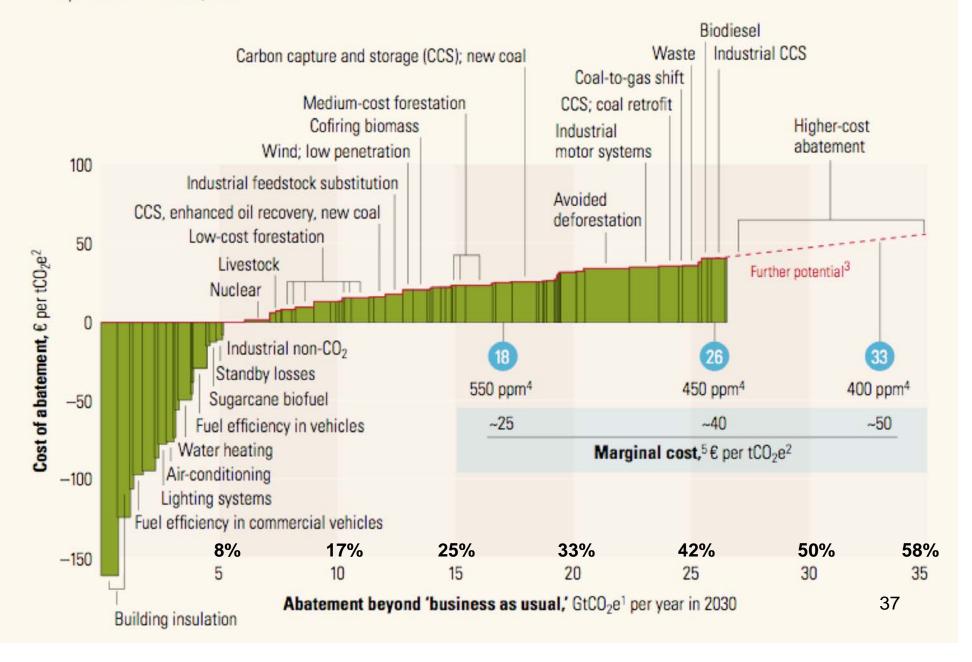




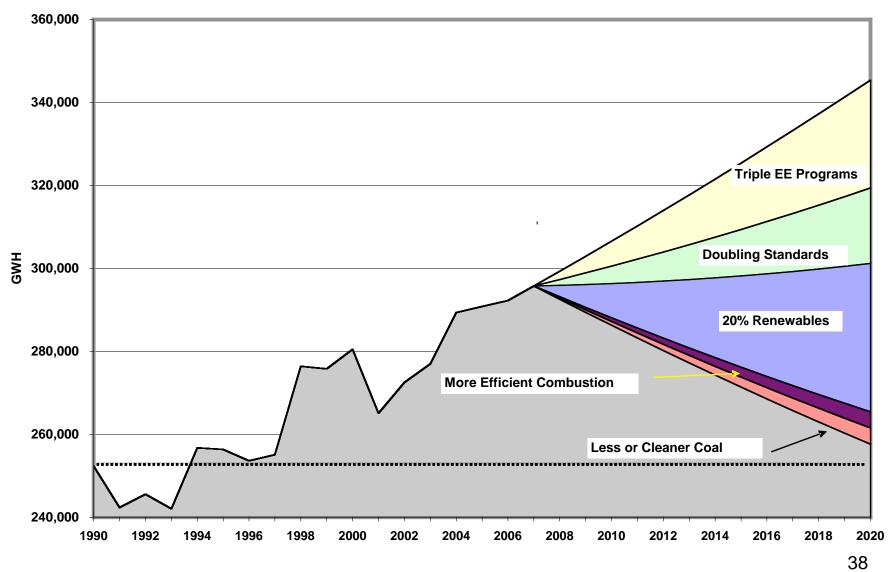
Source: McKinsey analysis

Global cost curve for greenhouse gas abatement measures beyond 'business as usual'; greenhouse gases measured in GtCO2e1

 Approximate abatement required beyond 'business as usual,' 2030

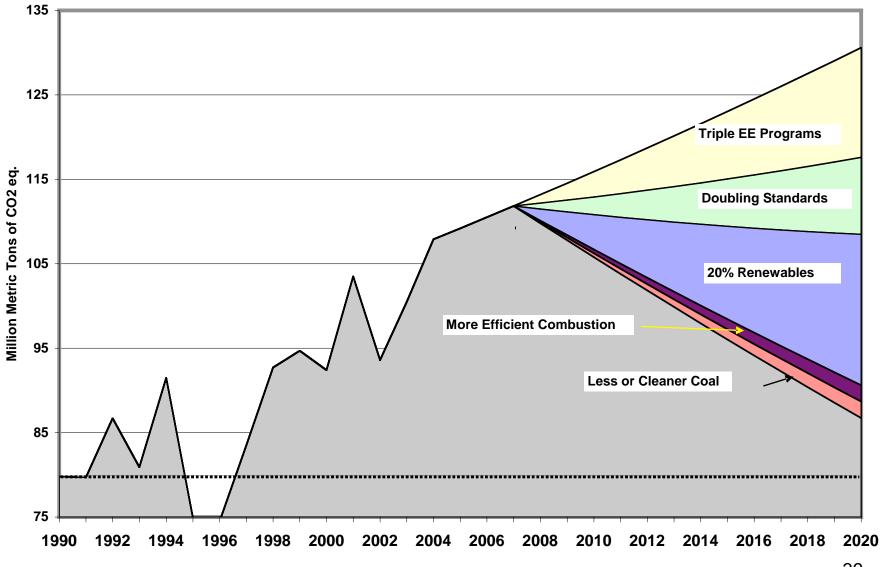


### Possible Strategies to Reduce Electricity Sector Carbon Emissions in California, ignoring ramp up times and other implementation issues -- The ELECTRICITY Perspective



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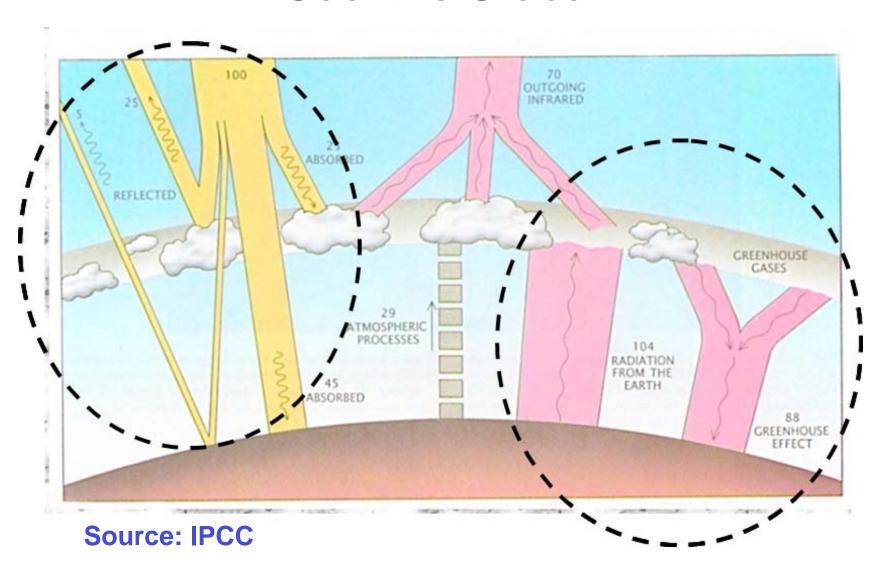
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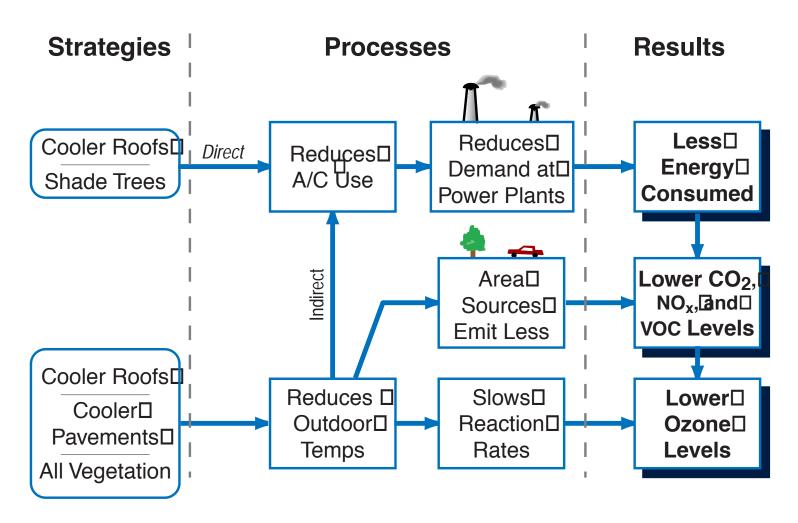
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# **Backup Slides on Cool Colored Roofs, Pavements and Cars**

# Solar Reflective Surfaces Also Cool the Globe

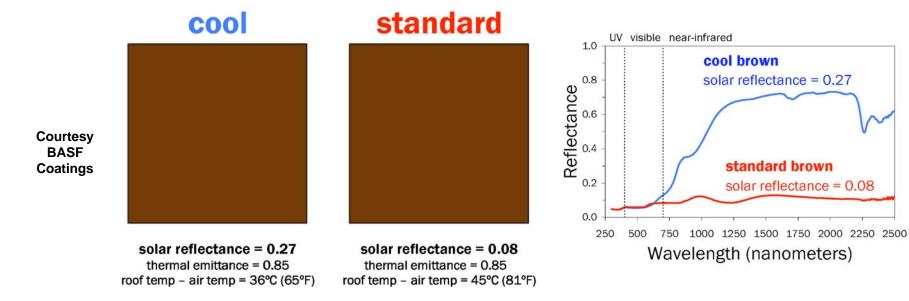


### Methodology: Energy and Air-Quality Analysis

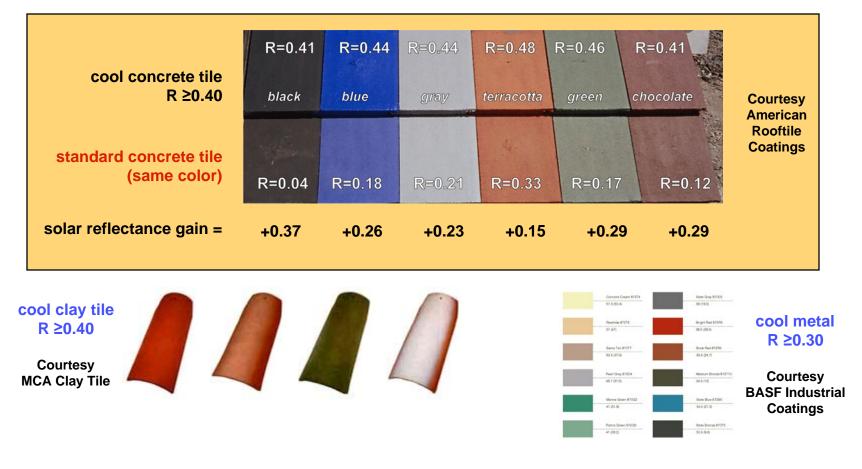


# Cool and Standard Brown Metal Roofing Panels

- Solar reflectance ~ 0.2 higher
- Afternoon surface temperature ~ 10°C lower



### **Designing Cool Colored Roofing**









cool fiberglass asphalt shingle
R ≥0.25
Courtesy
Elk Corporation

# Cool is Cool: From Cool Color Roofs to Cool Color Cars and Cool Jackets



Toyota experiment (surface temperature 10K cooler)

Ford is also working on the technology

Courtesy: BMW (http://www.ips-

innovations.com/solar\_reflective\_clothing.htm)

## **Cool Paving Materials:**



#### Reflective Pavements are Cooler

Fresh asphalt

**Albedo: 0.05** 

**Temperature: 123°F** 

Aged asphalt

**Albedo: 0.15** 

**Temperature: 115°F** 

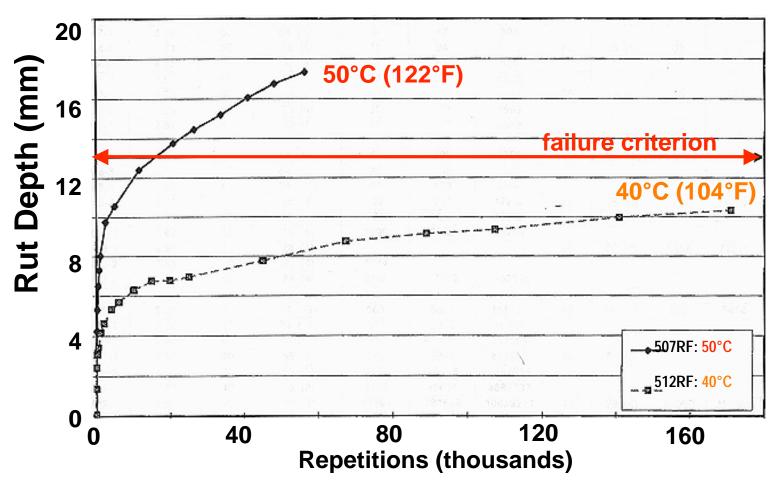
Prototype asphalt coating

**Albedo: 0.51** 

Temperature: 88°F

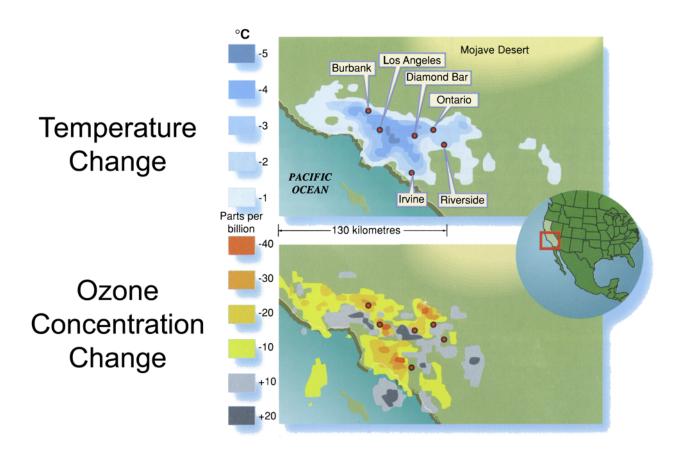


#### Temperature Effect on Rutting



Source: Dr. John Harvey, UC B Civil Engineering, Inst. Transpo. Studies

# Simulated Meteorology and Air-quality Impacts in LA



## Potential Savings in LA

- Savings for Los Angeles
  - Direct, \$100M/year
  - Indirect, \$70M/year
  - Smog, \$360M/year
- Estimate of national savings: \$5B/year

